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25X1 1. The institute, allegedly for atomic research, is located in Moscow-Serebrany Bor. (1)

25X1 2. [redacted] the Soviet designation of

25X1 the installation was Laboratoria Serebrany Bor. [redacted]

25X1 [redacted] after the murder of Khudyakov (fnu), former head of the institute, that Khudyakov had known atomic secrets.

25X1 3. The name of the head of the institute was not known. His deputy, Khudyakov (fnu), [redacted] was murdered in May or June 1949. (Lt Col) Kubliyanovski** (fnu) was chief of the construction bureau. [redacted]

25X1 He supervised the 2d and 4th Trusts. Col Gorbachov (fnu) was chief of the 2d and 4th Trusts. He had direct connections with the MVD in Moscow. He was the superior of (Eng) Baryshev (fnu), chief of the 1st Building Administration, and (Eng) Saslavski (fnu), chief of the 2d Building Administration. Bartovski (fnu), Kusmin (fnu), Teplov (fnu), Leikin (fnu), Koldin (fnu), and Khudliyeraki (fnu) were other engineers at the institute. (2)

25X1 [redacted]

4. [redacted]

25X1 5. While the work force employed by the 2d Building Administration consisted only of Pws and convicts, regular hired laborers were employed by the 1st Building Administration. The office of the 1st Building Administration was in the Ismailovo suburb and could be reached by No. 2 of the Moscow underground railway. [redacted]

25X1 [redacted] construction work was also being done on a scientific institute "VNIIL" (Military Scientific Research Institute), the Moskabel Cable Works, and on an important road.

6. About 300 well-clad civilians were employed in the laboratory housed in the six-story building. Work was done in one shift.

7. Many officers, probably of the air force, entered the fenced in building next to the dispensary. (4)

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25X1 [] Comments.

(1) For layout sketch of institute and the surrounding area see Annex.

25X1 (2) The names of the leading Soviet personnel were previously reported. []

25X1 (3) The German engineer could not be identified.

25X1 (4) [] so it is well possible that an underground installation, perhaps a bomb-proof command post, has been constructed there. []

25X1 * [] Comment: Khudyakov was reported to be deputy director of the KPP construction bureau []

25X1 ** [] Comment: Spelling variations of this name are Kubliyanovski and Kuplonovski []

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